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November 18, 2010

Mr. Jared Blumenfeld Region 9 Administrator U.S. EPA Region 9 75 Hawthorne Street (SFD-7-1) San Francisco, California 94105

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Attention:

Ms. Lynda Deschambault, Remedial Project Manager

SUBJECT:

Final Omega Operable Unit-2 Remedial Investigations and Feasibility;

Support of Omega OU2 Remediation and EPA Fund Lead of Remediation

Dear Mr. Blumenfeld:

As one of several downstream communities 100 percent dependent upon clean drinking water from our wells we demand that the Proposed Plan for the remediation of contaminated groundwater at the Omega OU2 Superfund Site in Los Angeles County be implemented immediately.

Because of the immediate need to stop the migration of the plume, we do hereby formally request that the USEPA determine this to be a Fund Lead Project so that a remediation plan can be implemented in a timely manner so that local drinking water wells will be protected from further contamination. Given the urgent need for immediate remediation we ask EPA to fund and lead the remediation process rather than organizing PRPs for the purpose of funding remediation prior to the initiation of remediation activities.

Sincerely,

Joseph Esquive

Mayor

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